

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A tone information providing system comprising:  
receiving means for receiving calling information being transmitted from a communication terminal used by a user and capable of generating a predetermined tone in accordance with the tone information sent through a communication network, and including calling-terminal specifying information for specifying the communication terminal and called-terminal specifying information for specifying a communication terminal of a calling destination;

tone information selecting means for selecting tone information corresponding to the called-terminal specifying information out of tone information stored in tone information storing means in which called-terminal specifying information and tone information are related to each other and stored;

transmitting means for transmitting said selected tone information to the communication terminal used by the user; [[and]]

tone information recording means for relating the calling-terminal specifying information, the called-terminal specifying information and the tone information, which is transmitted by said transmitting means, with each other and storing these pieces of information in past-record information storing means[[.]] ;

request receiving means for receiving a disclosure request being transmitted from the information communication terminal used by the user and including at least the calling-terminal specifying information;

past-record selecting means for selecting information corresponding to the calling-terminal specifying information and being stored in the past-record storing means in accordance with said received disclosure request; and

past-record transmitting means for transmitting said selected information to the information communication terminal.

Claim 2 (Cancelled):

Claim 3 (Original): The tone information providing system according to claim 1, wherein time information relating to the time when the transmitting means has transmitted the tone information is related to the calling-terminal specifying information, the called-terminal specifying information and the tone information, and these pieces of information are stored in the past-record information storing means.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): The tone information providing system according to claim [[2]] 1, wherein the disclosure request includes time information relating to the time when the transmitting means has transmitted the tone information.

Claim 5 (New): A tone information providing system comprising:

a receiver configured to receive calling information transmitted from a communication terminal used by a user and capable of generating a predetermined tone in accordance with tone information sent through a communication network, and including calling-terminal specifying information for specifying the communication terminal and called-terminal specifying information for specifying a communication terminal of a calling destination;

a selector configured to select tone information corresponding to the called-terminal specifying information out of tone information stored in a tone information storage

mechanism in which called-terminal specifying information and tone information are related to each other and stored;

a transmitter configured to transmit the tone information selected by the selector to the communication terminal used by the user;

a tone information recording mechanism configured to relate the calling-terminal specifying information, the called-terminal specifying information and the tone information, which is transmitted by said transmitter, with each other and storing the calling-terminal specifying information, the called-terminal specifying information and the tone information in a past-record information storing mechanism;

a request receiving mechanism configured to receive a disclosure request transmitted from the information communication terminal used by the user and including at least the calling-terminal specifying information;

a past-record selecting mechanism configured to select information corresponding to the calling-terminal specifying information and being stored in the past-record storing mechanism in accordance with said receive disclosure request; and

a past-record transmitter configured to transmit said selected information to the information communication terminal.

Claim 6 (New): The system of claim 5, wherein time information relating to a time when the transmitter has transmitted the tone information is related to the calling-terminal specifying information, the called-terminal specifying information and the tone information, and the calling-terminal specifying information, the called-terminal specifying information and the tone information are stored in the past-record information storing mechanism.

Claim 7 (New): The system of claim 5, wherein the disclosure request includes time information relating to a time when transmitter has transmitted the tone information.